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**SPECIAL MIDSUMMER SALE**

—of—

**QUALITY GROWN IRIS**

**HEMEROCALLIS**

**ORIENTAL POPPIES**

**PEONIES**

**MISCELLANEOUS**

**PERENNIALS**

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## TO OLD FRIENDS AND NEW CUSTOMERS

Again this year, as last, we are offering a choicest lot of QUALITY GROWN PLANTS at greatly reduced prices. A comparison of our Tall Bearded Iris price list with others, for instance, will indicate savings AS HIGH AS 50%. We are able to do this because we are now only a small nursery, using family help, and issuing a small, inexpensive folder instead of a large costly catalog.

When you order, remember ONLY THE PLANT PRICES ARE REDUCED, NOT THE QUALITY OF OUR PLANTS! Actually we have never had finer, larger, huskier plants. So place your order NOW, and get in on these fine bargains WHILE THE SUPPLY LASTS!

### TALL BEARDED IRIS

Plant in full sun, in well drained soil, fertilize with bone meal, natural or commercial barnyard manure, divide clumps every third or fourth year. Your order shipped between July 5th and October 15th. State desired shipping date.

<b>ALBA SUPERBA.</b> Large flaring white.....	\$ 1.00
<b>ALADDIN'S WISH.</b> Novelty blue and cream	1.00
<b>AMBER GEM.</b> Golden amber, tall and large	2.00
<b>AMIGO.</b> Always beautiful lavender violet .....	.50
<b>ARCTIC.</b> Large fine cream white .....	.30
<b>ARGUS PHEASANT.</b> Limited stock of this hard to get strikingly beautiful fine golden brown .....	13.00
<b>AZURE SKIES.</b> Ruffled azure blue .....	.60
<b>BANDMASTER.</b> Fine growing medium blue..	1.00
<b>BLUE FRILLS.</b> Excellent medium blue .....	1.25
<b>BLUE GLOW.</b> Long flowering indigo blue ..	1.25
<b>BLUE CHAMPAGNE.</b> Large ruffled sky blue	2.00
<b>BLUE RHYTHM.</b> Tall, effective cornflower blue .....	2.50
<b>BLUE SHIMMER.</b> Fine blue white plicata ..	.60
<b>BLUE VALLEY.</b> Large ruffled true blue, a \$7.50 value .....	4.00
<b>BRIGHT MELODY.</b> Rich purple grape color	1.00
<b>BROWN THRASHER.</b> Gold-dusted brown .....	.75
<b>BURGUNDY ROSE.</b> Amethyst rose, very large	1.50
<b>CALDERILLA.</b> Unusual golden terra cotta ....	.50
<b>CASA MORENA.</b> Brilliant henna brown .....	1.50
<b>CASCADE SPLENDOR.</b> Brilliant pink glowing blend .....	1.50
<b>CHANTILLY.</b> Lace-edged orchid pink .....	1.00
<b>CHICORY BLUE.</b> Tall, light lively blue .....	1.00
<b>CHINA MAID.</b> Tall popular pink lilac blend	.50
<b>CHIVALRY.</b> Dykes winner, fine medium blue	3.00
<b>CIGARETTE.</b> Tannish cream, individual in color .....	1.00
<b>CLOTH OF GOLD.</b> One of the finest deep yellows .....	1.00
<b>CLOUD CASTLE.</b> Incredibly lovely wisteria blue .....	1.50
<b>DAYBREAK.</b> Lusty copper pink blend .....	.50
<b>DEB'S DELIGHT.</b> A delightful flesh pink .....	1.00
<b>DESERT SONG.</b> High ranking ruffled cream	3.00
<b>DINAH SHORE.</b> Nice honey gold toned .....	.60
<b>DREAMCASTLE.</b> Outstanding orchid pink ..	2.50
<b>EASTER BONNET.</b> Unusual large gold edged pink .....	1.00

<b>EDWARD LAPHAM.</b> Bright crimson red .....	.60
<b>ELLA CALLIS.</b> Strikingly bold orange yellow, overcast red .....	1.00
<b>ELMOHR.</b> Ruffled, veined mulberry purple..	.75
<b>FORTUNE.</b> Old gold, with red .....	.30
<b>GARDEN GLORY.</b> Deep smoothly lacquered red .....	2.00
<b>GOLDBEATER.</b> Clean colored large deep yel- low .....	1.00
<b>GOLDEN EAGEE.</b> Large clear tall yellow ....	.75
<b>GOLDEN FLEECE.</b> Outstanding lemon cream	.75
<b>GOLDEN HIND.</b> Brilliant true gold .....	.30
<b>GOLDEN MADONNA.</b> Early, large creamy yel- low .....	.60
<b>GOLDEN MAJESTY.</b> Deep golden yellow ....	.50
<b>GOLDEN RUSSET.</b> Enormous golden russet flowers .....	2.50
<b>GOOD NEWS.</b> Ruffled mustard gold .....	1.75
<b>GREAT LAKES.</b> Top ranking light blue .....	.60
<b>GYPSY BARON.</b> Deep blue purple plicata ....	.60
<b>GYPSY ROSE.</b> Handsome large showy rose ..	2.50
<b>HELEN MCGREGOR.</b> Ruffled large pale blue...	4.00
<b>HIA MIA.</b> Soft empire yellow .....	.75
<b>HIT PARADE.</b> Flamingo pink, very few .....	2.50
<b>HONEYFLOW.</b> Tailored rose-beige .....	1.25
<b>LADY BOSCAWEN.</b> Regal ruffled white.....	3.00
<b>LADY LOUISE.</b> Unusual buff and white.....	5.00
<b>LADY MOHR.</b> Popular oyster white .....	1.00
<b>LAKE BREEZE.</b> Rippled light blue .....	1.00
<b>LAKE GEORGE.</b> Soft blue violet .....	1.25
<b>LAKE HURON.</b> Fine bright blue .....	.30
<b>LAKE SHANNON.</b> Choice medium blue .....	2.00
<b>LAVENDER &amp; GOLD LACE.</b> Lacy yellow- lavender .....	.75
<b>LOS ANGELES.</b> Fine blue white .....	.35
<b>MANYUSYA.</b> Charming orchid pink .....	.75
<b>MATTERHORN.</b> Large pure white .....	.50
<b>MELANIE.</b> Large orchid pink .....	.50
<b>MEXICO.</b> Brilliant gold-brown .....	1.00
<b>MIDWEST GEM.</b> Ruffled peach toned .....	.30
<b>MING YELLOW.</b> Large bright yellow .....	.50
<b>MINNIE COLQUITT.</b> Purple bordered white	1.00
<b>MISSOURI.</b> Faultless medium blue .....	.40
<b>MISTY GOLD.</b> Charming ruffled cream .....	.60
<b>MOONLIGHT MADONNA.</b> Ethereal large ruffled lemon toned .....	.75
<b>MOUNT TIMP.</b> Yellow and rose plicata .....	.50
<b>MULBERRY ROSE.</b> Large fine deep rose ..	.75
<b>NEW HORIZON.</b> Peach pink, tangerine beard. Very few .....	3.00
<b>NEW SNOW.</b> Perfect pure white .....	3.00
<b>ORANGE MAN.</b> Rich deep orange yellow ....	2.00
<b>OLA KALA.</b> Dykes winning orange yellow..	1.00
<b>ORMOHR.</b> Large light lavender .....	.35
<b>PAGAN PRINCESS.</b> New pink, tangerine beard .....	3.50
<b>PALE DAWN.</b> Faultless large pale blue .....	2.00
<b>PALE PRIMROSE.</b> Excellent primrose yellow	.75
<b>PEG DABAGH.</b> Large violet blue oncobred ..	5.00
<b>PIERRE MENARD.</b> Scarce deep rich blue ....	10.00
<b>PINK CAMEO.</b> Popular choice pink .....	2.00
<b>PINK LACE.</b> Good growing seashell pink .....	2.00
<b>PINK SENSATION.</b> Delicate light pink, or- ange beard .....	10.00
<b>PINK TOWER.</b> Large pale shell pink, a \$5.00 value .....	2.50
<b>PRAIRIE SUNSET.</b> Indescribable sunset blend .....	.60

<b>PURPLE MOOR.</b> Long lasting bright purple..	2.50
<b>RED AMBER.</b> Large rose-amber .....	.75
<b>RED TORCH.</b> Golden amber and ruby red variegata .....	2.00
<b>REDWARD.</b> Mass effect bright red .....	1.00
<b>RELENTLESS.</b> New deep red .....	5.00
<b>ROCKET.</b> Large brassy orange yellow; color knockout .....	3.00
<b>ROSE SPLENDOR.</b> Rose pink, underlaid yel- low .....	2.75
<b>SABLE.</b> Velvety blue-black; choice .....	.60
<b>SHOW GIRL.</b> Fine rose colored, excellent mass effect .....	.75
<b>SKY RANGER.</b> Tall, large ruffled blue .....	5.00
<b>SNOW CRYSTAL.</b> Large white with blue haft markings .....	1.75
<b>SNOW FLURRY.</b> Ruffled frosty blue white .....	.75
<b>SOLID MAHOGANY.</b> Rich mahogany red ....	1.50
<b>SPINDRIFT.</b> Deep seashell pink .....	1.00
<b>SPUN GOLD.</b> One of the finest golds .....	.75
<b>SUZETTE.</b> Tall yellow, maroon marked .....	2.00
<b>SUNNY RUFFLES.</b> Gay ruffly lemon yellow .....	.75
<b>SYLVIA MURRAY.</b> Fine light blue .....	1.00
<b>TEA ROSE.</b> Coppery rose-blue pink .....	1.00
<b>THE CAPITOL.</b> Huge smash hit white .....	1.00
<b>THE PENGUIN.</b> Novel white plicata, edged in brown .....	5.00
<b>TIFFANJA.</b> Cream plicata, dotted brown....	.75
<b>TOBACCO ROAD.</b> Shimmering golden brown .....	1.75
<b>VAGABOND PRINCE.</b> Deep brilliant purple..	.30
<b>VATICAN PURPLE.</b> Late flowering blue pur- ple .....	1.25
<b>VELVET DUST.</b> Sable seedling, very dark blue-black .....	4.00
<b>VIGIL.</b> Large clean white .....	2.00
<b>WABASH.</b> Novel white and violet .....	.40
<b>WHITE GODDESS.</b> Early fine large white ..	.40
<b>WHITE WEDGWOOD.</b> Sculptured blue white .....	1.00
<b>YELLOW JEWEL.</b> Fine mass effect yellow ....	.40
<b>ZANTHA.</b> Huge, flaring light yellow .....	4.00

Note: Our collection of Iris numbers over 1,000 varieties. Prices on varieties not shown here furnished on request. On neighborhood or garden club orders, especially where more than one of a kind are ordered, our prices cannot be surpassed.

**DWARF IRIS.** We are growing 40 varieties, only a few of each. Some we would recommend are **ATROVIOLACEA**, short early purple, 25c; **STEWART**, fast growing yellow, 25c; **LITTLE ELSA**, lemon yellow toned, 50c; **BIG BOY**, taller deep red purple, 35c; **PESHAWAR** (a pogocyclus), late tall bronze purple, 35c; **ROSE MIST**, soft rose, 35c; **SCHNEEKUPPE**, snow white, 25c.

**INTERMEDIATE IRIS.** Bloom before Tall Bearded. **ABELARD**, salmon and copper toned, 35c; **GOLDEN BOW**, large bright yellow, 35c; **SUSA**, fragrant fine red purple, 35c.

**SIBERIAN IRIS.** Easy to grow, fine for cutting. You'll like **CAESAR'S BROTHER**, pansy purple, 50c; **HELEN ASTOR**, rosy red, \$1.50; **SNOWCREST**, snow white, 50c; **TYCOON**, huge violet blue, \$1.50. **SPURIA IRIS.** Taller growing, requiring more moist ground. Fine for pool edges. Excellent cut flowers. **AZURE DAWN**, blue-lavender, \$1.00; **BLUE DISPLAY**, medium blue, 75c; **BRONZSPUR**, brown-yellow blend, 75c; **MICHIGAN STATE**, brownish bronze, 75c; **RUSSET FLAME**, russet yellow, 75c; **SAUGATUCK**, medium lavender blue, \$1.00; **SHEL-**

**FORD GIANT**, handsome tall creamy white, \$1.00; **WADI ZEM ZEM**, large deep cream, \$2.00; **YELLOW SWALLOWTAIL**, deep velvety yellow, \$2.00.

Note: Shipping season on Siberians and Spurias starts later than Tall Bearded, or about late August to early September.

## HEMEROCALLIS (Daylilies)

Easy to grow, easy to care for, fine for increase and bloom. Such a radiant array of color, when light and dark reds, and the new pinks are used along with the orange and yellows. Shipping season August 15, through October.

<b>BAGDAD.</b> Early orange and red .....	\$ .35
<b>BARONET.</b> June flowering brick red .....	.50
<b>BAY STATE.</b> Midsummer long blooming deep gold .....	.35
<b>BI-COLOR.</b> Rose and yellow combination ....	1.00
<b>BLACK FALCON.</b> Darkish red, very tall .....	2.50
<b>BLACK PRINCE.</b> Deep blackish red, very fine .....	1.50
<b>BOLD COURTIER.</b> Bi-color of rose and yellow	2.00
<b>BOUTONNIERE.</b> Bouquets of rosy peach flow- ers .....	.35
<b>CABALLERO.</b> Handsome yellow and red bi- color .....	1.00
<b>CHARIOTEER.</b> Large tall red and yellow bicolor .....	.75
<b>CONFUCIUS.</b> Intensely bright red. Fine....	1.00
<b>COPPER COLONEL.</b> Large, new russet yel- low bicolor .....	3.00
<b>CORALLINE.</b> Midsummer rose red .....	1.00
<b>COMET.</b> Large fine rose and yellow bicolor	.75
<b>CRYSTAL PINK.</b> Cream pink, fast growing, special .....	1.00
<b>DAUNTLESS.</b> Heavily substandard deep yel- low .....	.60
<b>DR. REGEL.</b> Early low orange yellow .....	.35
<b>DOLLY VARDEN.</b> Coral pink, early season..	1.50
<b>EARLIANA.</b> Fine early blooming orange yel- low .....	1.00
<b>FULVA ROSEA.</b> Narrow petaled scarlet pink	1.50
<b>GEORGE YELD.</b> Brilliant large orange .....	.40
<b>GRETCHEN.</b> Large new Pompeian red. Two only at .....	5.00
<b>HESPERUS.</b> Large, tall, fine lemon-toned .....	1.00
<b>HONEY REDHEAD.</b> Bright red, yellow edged. Showy .....	1.00
<b>HYPERRION.</b> Large canary yellow .....	.50
<b>JEAN.</b> Red and orange bi-color .....	1.00
<b>KANAPHA.</b> Brilliant midsummer red .....	2.50
<b>MAMIE LAKE.</b> Rose and lemon yellow bi- color .....	.75
<b>MARY GUENTHER.</b> Bright red and yellow bi-color .....	.75
<b>MIKADO.</b> Orange, with mahogany markings	.35
<b>MISSION BELLS.</b> Widely popular ruffled yel- low .....	1.75
<b>MOONRAY.</b> Cream yellow, narrow petals, red halo .....	.75
<b>MOROCCO RED.</b> Almost solid deep red .....	2.00
<b>ORANGE BEAUTY.</b> Highly rated new orange. Scarce .....	3.50
<b>PAINTED LADY.</b> Large ruffled highly rated coral yellow .....	3.00
<b>PATRICIA.</b> Lovely pale lemon yellow .....	.75

<b>PERSIAN PRINCESS.</b> Deep wine with orange throat. Fine .....	1.00
<b>PINK CHARM.</b> Tall charming pink, fast growing .....	1.00
<b>PORCELAIN PINK.</b> New, exciting pink; one of the best for color .....	3.50
<b>PORT.</b> Border front deep red .....	1.00
<b>RAJAH.</b> Brilliant orange scarlet .....	.35
<b>REGAL LADY.</b> Rose red petals, yellow sepals .....	.75
<b>ROUGE VERMILLION.</b> Exceedingly brilliant red .....	3.00
<b>ROYAL RUBY.</b> Evenly toned ruby red .....	3.00
<b>SACHEM.</b> Fine deep red .....	.75
<b>SANTA FE.</b> Rosy petals, yellow sepals, rosy purple eye zone .....	.50
<b>STARLIGHT.</b> Starlike light yellow .....	1.50
<b>STAR OF GOLD.</b> Lovely tall pale yellow .....	.75
<b>SU-LIN.</b> Bi-color or orchid pink and yellow. Unusual and lovely .....	3.00
<b>SWEETBRIAR.</b> Large free flowering pink .....	1.00
<b>TEJAS.</b> Bright red, excellent in mass .....	1.00
<b>THERON.</b> Dark red with twisted petal tips. ..	.75
<b>VESTA.</b> Deep orange, medium height, large flowers .....	.50
<b>WAU-BUN.</b> Yellow overcast with red .....	.50

Note: Over 300 varieties of Hemerocallis now grown in our field planting and display beds. Send want list for prices on other desirable varieties. Dealers and landscape architects, we have large stocks of the best older standard varieties. Lot prices on request.

## ORIENTAL POPPIES

Nothing exceeds their brilliance. Our soil is a "natural" for Poppies, making immense flowering clumps in short order. The large, strong roots we send out, after August 1st, are the best to be had.

<b>CERISE BEAUTY.</b> Medium sized free blooming crinkled cerise pink .....	.60
<b>EDNA PERRY.</b> Standard fast growing salmon pink .....	.50
<b>HELEN ELIZABETH.</b> Large, choice pink .....	.75
<b>HENRI CAYEUX.</b> Earliest to flower, ashes-of-rose color .....	.75
<b>PINK LASSIE.</b> Our loveliest, largest pink .....	1.00
<b>SALMON GLOW.</b> Fast increasing double salmon-orange .....	.50
<b>SASS PINK.</b> Large delicate flesh pink .....	.75
<b>WAR LORD.</b> Brilliant strong growing red, a color standout .....	1.00

Introductory Offer: 3 fine Poppies, unlabeled, one each red, pink and orange, \$1.00. 10 full color range and season of bloom collection, unlabeled, special, \$4.00.

## PEONIES

Vigorous 3 to 5 eye standard divisions furnished after September 1st.

<b>FELIX CROUSSE.</b> Medium sized fragrant rose red .....	.75
<b>FESTIVA MAXIMA.</b> Glorious early large white, touched with red .....	.75
<b>KELWAY'S GLORIOUS.</b> Simply huge exceedingly fragrant white .....	1.50



<b>REINE HORTENSE.</b> Hydrangea pink, touched with crimson .....	.75
<b>SARAH BERNHARDT.</b> Apple blossom pink, fine for cutting .....	.75

Also available small amounts of Tourangelle, Primevere, Mary Brand, Officinalis Rubra, Richard Carvel, Fuyajo, Nippon Beauty, Walter Faxon, Isani Guidi, Mischief, Cherry Hill, Baroness Schroeder and Blanche King. Collection of 10 fine labeled peonies, full season and color range, taken from above list, \$7.50, **sent shipping charges collect.**

Peonies for Cut Flowers: Unlabeled white and pink, 50c each. The supply of these fine roots is limited.

## MISCELLANEOUS PERENNIALS

No garden is complete with "specialties" only. Here are a few specially selected items that are a spring and summer joy in our garden.

**FUNKIA.** This is the large white fragrant evening blooming "lily" that often is seen massed under shady trees or nestled against the north side of the house. Loves shade and rich soil, **75c** per strong plant, or **3 for \$2.00.**

**AQUILEGIA.** Perhaps you call them Columbine. These are the lovely, long spurred—our own **WALDEAN STRAIN**—from seed selected from the finest of color and long spurred parent plants. Young, thrifty plants, **35c** each, **3 for \$1.00,** or **\$3.00** per dozen.

**MERTENSIA.** These are the lovely early native Bluebells. We find they will bloom in sunny spots as well as shady, in most any type of soil. Fine roots, **50c** each, **3 for \$1.25,** or **\$3.00** per dozen.

**VIOLETS.** Everyone loves violets. That is, all the people who come here and see them abloom in our spring borders do. That's why we are offering for the first time an exceedingly fine long stemmed purple, and an equally fine long blooming pure white, either or both at **25c** per plant, **5 for \$1.00,** or **\$2.00** per dozen. You don't need shade or woods soil; they bloom anywhere!

**BLEEDING HEART.** Perhaps we should say "Dicentre spectabilis. . ." but we prefer calling it the "Old-fashioned Bleeding Heart" that grew in grandmother's garden, and nowadays is blossoming in town and country gardens everywhere. It's a grand, long lasting, wonderfully pink early spring number, spelling enchantment when planted with Bluebells or Native Phlox. Large roots, **75c** each, **3 for \$2.00.**

**BLUE PHLOX.** From a group of woodland phlox we selected an exceedingly large flowered one for propagation. We haven't many to offer at **25c** each, **5 for \$1.00.**

**PYRETHRUM.** . . or should we say Painted Daisies. We offer **BUCKEYE,** a truly choice, large flowering, long lasting, double rose red, exceptionally hardy and fast growing. Only a very few plants at **75c** each, limit of one to customer.

**PINK IRIS.** Every one is mad about the new Pink Iris, Pink Daylilies, etc. Indeed, they are a rare and refreshing color. But not every one can afford \$5, \$10 and even \$25 for one pink Iris in their garden. We now have five fine pink seedlings—and enough plants to offer you a **TRULY CHOICE PINK IRIS** at the remarkably low price

of **\$1.00 each!** Actually, these **TOPNOTCH PINKS** are equally as beautiful as \$10 and \$15 labeled varieties—if we are any judge of “beauty in a garden”!

**NOTE: WALDEAN FARM** is and has been a “research laboratory and testing ground” for fine plants of every kind. Write us if you have difficulty locating what you want elsewhere. We may have it for sale.

### **DAFFODILS FOR NATURALIZING**

Thousands of Daffodils are naturalized in the woods at Waldean, where by a generous mixture of varieties, they give almost 8 weeks of bloom. Our **WALDEAN MIXTURE** will assure you of the same. Large, choice bulbs, \$7.50 per hundred, second size, \$6.00 per hundred. These are also fine, rowed out in the garden for cutting, or planted along border edges.

**WALDEAN TULIP MIXTURE.** A simply heavenly mixture of all sorts of gayly colored and patterned tulips (including some Parrots) at \$6.00 per 100 for top size bulbs, \$5.00 for second size. Fine for garden display or cutting.

### **GIFT BOXES**

Our service in selecting and packing fine plants and bulbs for gifts is unparalleled. Large business firms frequently have us send gift box orders to their preferred customers. Gift box orders for new home plantings, birthdays, anniversaries, Mother's Day, Father's Day and Christmas all are selected and packed with loving care.

Try a unit order of \$2.50, \$5.00, \$7.50 or \$10.00 sometime—or a “Full Garden of Flowers” at \$25.00. We're sure we can please you, too.

### **READ BEFORE ORDERING**

The prices in this folder cancel all previous lists, and are in effect until September 1, 1951, or until supply of stock is exhausted. All plants sent post-paid, except where otherwise stated. We guarantee our plants to be true to name, and healthy in every respect. In case error does creep in, please notify us so that a satisfactory adjustment can be made. If shipment is not satisfactory on receipt, notify us at once, or return it for full credit. We cannot be responsible for growth of plants once they are reset in your own garden.

Terms are cash with order. Send checks, bank draft or money orders, made out to **WALDEAN FARM**. No stamps or loose money, please, which must be sent at your risk. We prefer not to handle orders under \$2.50, as such orders must be handled at a loss.

Shipping dates are shown, and in addition we suggest that you designate desired shipping date for your convenience. Otherwise we will ship at regular shipping time from here. We do appreciate your orders, and try to give them the best of care.

**WALDEAN FARM**  
**Plant Specialists**